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SENATE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to learn of the death of Anne E. McElroy of Decatur, who passed away on February 28, 2013; and

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WHEREAS, Anne McElroy was born on July 4, 1962, in Decatur; her parents were Richard and Elizabeth Anne "Betty" McElroy; and

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WHEREAS, Anne McElroy began her career with the State of Illinois as the administrative assistant to the late Senator Penny Severns; she subsequently entered the hotel industry, beginning with her work with Tharaldson Enterprises as the Director of Regional Sales, and oversaw the sales and marketing efforts of many hotels throughout the country; in 2003, she returned to the State of Illinois as the Deputy Director of Personnel for the Illinois Department of Corrections; she ended her career as the Chief of Labor Relations for IDOC; and

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WHEREAS, Anne McElroy was a member of Ss. James and Patrick Catholic Church; and

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WHEREAS, Anne McElroy was preceded in death by her parents; and

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1 WHEREAS, Anne McElroy is survived by her children, Colleen
2 Alexandra Athey and Richard Hayden Athey; her sister, Ellen
3 McElroy-Kenworth; her brothers, Michael (Lynn) McElroy,
4 Patrick (Barbara) McElroy, and Timothy (Leslie) McElroy; her
5 nieces and nephews, Hilary and Colin Runion, Byrnes Kenworth,
6 Conor and Brennan McElroy, Matthew McElroy, and Dixie McElroy;
7 her special cousin, Mary Adams; her ex-husband, Joseph Athey;
8 and her many other relatives, friends, and co-workers;
9 therefore, be it

10 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL
11 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn, along with
12 her family and friends, the passing of Anne E. McElroy; and be
13 it further

14 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
15 presented to the family of Anne McElroy as an expression of our
16 sympathy.